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## Via Electronic Filing

Public Utility Commission of Oregon Attn: Filing Center 201 High St. SE, Suite 100 Salem OR 97301

Re: PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER

2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard Implementation Plan

Docket No. UM 1754

Dear Filing Center:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find the Petition to Intervene of the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jesse O. Gorsuch Jesse O. Gorsuch

Enclosure

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

#### OF OREGON

#### UM 1754

In the Matter of	)	
	)	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF THE
PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER	)	INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF
	)	NORTHWEST UTILITIES
2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard	)	
Implementation Plan.	)	

Pursuant to ORS § 756.525, the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities ("ICNU") hereby petitions the Oregon Public Utility Commission ("Commission") to intervene in this proceeding with full party status such as the Commission is authorized to grant. In support of this petition, ICNU represents as follows:

1. The business address of ICNU is:

Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities 818 SW 3rd Ave., #266 Portland, OR 97204

2. ICNU will be represented in this proceeding by Davison Van Cleve, P.C. All documents relating to this proceeding should be served on ICNU's attorneys and consultant at the following addresses:

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3. ICNU is an incorporated, non-profit association of large industrial electric

customers in the Pacific Northwest, with offices in Portland, Oregon. A list of ICNU members is

included as Attachment A. Many members of ICNU are customers of PacifiCorp (or the

"Company"), as indicated on Attachment A.

On December 29, 2015, PacifiCorp filed its 2017-2021 Renewable 4.

Portfolio Standard ("RPS") Implementation Plan, which details how the Company intends to

meet its RPS requirements in the years 2017-2021. Under ORS 469A, electric utility companies

must develop an implementation plan for meeting the RPS, which requires that at least 15

percent of electricity sold must come from qualifying resources in calendar years 2017-2019, and

20 percent in calendar years 2020-2021. The Company plans to meet its RPS targets during this

period with a mix of bundled renewable energy certificates ("RECs") from existing Oregon-

eligible resources and RECs from resources under development that are anticipated to be Oregon

RPS-eligible. ICNU has a substantial interest in PacifiCorp's RPS plan, as the costs of

compliance could rise significantly, and may be included in PacifiCorp's rates paid by ICNU's

members.

5. ICNU represents the interests of a number of large electric customers

served by PacifiCorp in Oregon. ICNU's intervention in this proceeding will assist the

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Commission in resolving the issues in this proceeding and will not unreasonably broaden the

issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay this proceeding.

6. As described above, ICNU has a direct and substantial interest in this

proceeding that will not be adequately represented by any other party, and may be affected by

any Commission determination made in connection with this proceeding. It is in the public

interest to allow ICNU to intervene in this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, ICNU respectfully requests that the Commission grant its petition

to intervene with full party status in this proceeding.

Dated this 8th day of January, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVISON VAN CLEVE, P.C.

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#### ATTACHMENT A

## INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF NORTHWEST UTILITIES

Air Liquide

Air Products

AkzoNobel

Alcoa

**Amcor Rigid Plastics** 

Axiall, Inc.

#Boeing

#Boise Cascade, Inc.

Certain Teed Gypsum & Ceiling Manufacturing (BPB)

ConAgra Foods

Dyno Nobel, Inc.

**Emerald Performance Materials** 

Evraz, Inc.

#Freres Lumber Co.

#Georgia-Pacific

**Grant PUD Industries** 

Inland Empire Paper Co.

Intel Corp

#International Paper

JR Simplot

**#Kapstone Kraft Paper** 

#Legacy Health

Linde, Inc.

Microsoft Corporation

**#Norpac Foods** 

**#Northwest Hardwoods** 

#Packaging Corporation of America

#PCC Structurals, Inc.

Ponderay Newsprint

REC Solar Grade Silicon LLC

Schnitzer Steel

Shell Oil Products US

Tesoro Refining and Marketing Co.

**#Timber Products** 

#Wah Chang

WestRock

West Linn Paper Company

#Weyerhaeuser